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Amendments to the Abstract

Please replace abstract with the following amended abstract:

A driving apparatus (2) for cold cathode fluorescent lamps (CCFLs) includes a primary and a secondary driving circuits (22, 21), a primary and a secondary light tubes (24, 23), a primary and a secondary feedback circuits (26, 27), and two photosensitive elements (25) corresponding to the primary and the secondary light tubes, respectively. The primary and the secondary driving circuits provide power to drive the primary and the secondary light tubes, respectively. The primary feedback circuit receives photoelectric current of a corresponding photosensitive element and provides an output signal to the primary driving circuit. The secondary feedback circuit receives [[the]] currents of both photoelectric currents of the photosensitive elements, and providing provides an output signal to the secondary driving circuit to keep a brightness of the secondary light tube the same as the brightness of the primary light tube.